

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and apparatus for recording additional data such as graphic and subtitle data to be overlaid on a main video on a high-density recording medium and for reproducing the recorded 5 additional data is disclosed. The method and apparatus in accordance with the present invention receives video data and additional data including graphic data and/or subtitle data and records the additional data as a plurality of streams on the recording medium by dividing and organizing the additional data 10 in such a way that the additional data is included in a plurality of regions that will be overlaid on a video image constructed from the video data.